GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

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USE OF POOR QUALITY MATERIAL FOR RUNWAY AT GAYA AIRPORT
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Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware of the use of poor quality material in the construction of runway and other surroundings at Gaya airport in Bihar; and

(b) if so, the action taken by the Government in the matter to ensure the use of good quality material at the airports?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) and (b) :- Material of proper quality which meets the contract specifications is being used for construction of runway at Gaya airport. The materials found not suitable for the work were rejected by the Airports Authority of India and got removed from the site of work. The materials meeting the quality as specified for the work were only allowed to be used for the work.